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See Him for Dolls of all kinds from 1c to \$2.00.

SEE OUR

## 5, 10, 15, 23, 48c Tables.

which are loaded down with all kinds of Useful Presents.

We have the Finest Line of China and Largest in the city.

SEE OUR '

### Carving Sets.

They are Beauties for a Little Money.

Call early and get your pick in our new quarters.

## ENOCH'S Bargain House,

MT. STERLING, KY.

Fourteen guests at a Chicago hotel were suffocated by the smoletrom a small fire in the building.

## Our Display of Ladies Tailored Apparel

Is more beautiful than ever. We are receiving daily by express the very latest creations in Monte Carlo Costs, Three-quarter length garments and Box Costs, also Suits, Skirts, Opera Garments and Raglan Rain Costs. We invite your critical inspection

### A Few Items From Our Big Cloak Room.

\$5.00 Walking Skirts. We desire to call special attention to our large assortment of \$5.00 king Skirts in heavy, medium and light weights, all well tailored and in the newest shapes. EIDERDOWN WRAPPERS. Cold weather lurking around in the corner brings the thought of terdown—warm and light. Both plain and ripple eiderdown in solid colors. Appliqued or mmed with satin. Seques of Eiderdown begin at \$1.00. Robes of Eiderdown begin at \$4.00. Children's Cloaks \$4.50 to \$20.00. We show a big assortment in three different lengths in all sizes, 6 to 14 years. In this line economies have been looked to with rare good judgment.

### . A Few Words About Our Linen Stock.

The careful and particular housewife is interested as much in her supply of linens as in her wardrobe outh; and so the stock must be big and comprehensive if it is to satisfactorily meet the demands made upon it. Here every desire or requirement can be met from the good sturdy linens from Germany and Austria to the choicest damasks from France, Belgium, Ireland and Scotland.

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For Circuit Judge.

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ALEX. CONNER,
of Bath County.

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### For Circuit Court Clerk.

We are authorized to announce
CHARLES E. SLEDD
a candidate for Circuit Court Clerk, subject
the action of the Democratic party.
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R. J. HUNT
a candidate for Circuit Clerk of Montgon
County, subject to the action of the Democraty.

### LAMENTED REED.

to the last. Whatever may be said of Reed he was a man of intellect, courage and determina-

He left politics a poor man bu in three years practice at law had owned \$150,000:00. He was heart broken by an ungrateful party. After his defeat at St. Louis he spoke thus: "To think," said he to ex-Speaker Kellogg at the Shoreham Hotel a short time after Shoreaan Flore a short time after the convention, 'that I who have stood the brunt of the fight for the party in the last two years; have been firmly and bitterly assailed by the Democrats, securing their hatred for a lifetime; that I, who have been therefore the following the property of the property have brought order out of chaos in the House of Representatives, allowing it to transact its business, thereby passing important measures of great interest to the Republican party, should be cast aside and degraded and a little man who never did anything for his party, except by my support, taken in my place." taken in my place.

### INTERURBAN ROAD

The survey of the electric line between here and Lexington hav-ing been completed another survey is being made via Lexingtor and Eastern Railway and this done work will be on and pushed as fast as men and money can do it. The road is assured.

There is something for our peo ple to do now. Mt. Sterling's prosperity depends on the present population. If we want manufac turies, they must bring them We will have with the completion of this road, water, light and of this road, water, light and power. We have large ownings in crude state, tobacco, hemp, timber, stome and everything with which to put wheels in motion. Shall we take advantage of the opportunity.

We would have our people and especially those who, for cause, failed to hear the Thanksgiving Abbott, to read it, sentence at a time, ponder well, and permit their lives to conform to the lessons contained therein.

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We publish in this issue the President's message in full. In some respects it is a remarkable document. Remarkable in that

he great Roosevelt finds his up againt the Barons of the East, of the West, the North and the South, and in a measure the President stands behind the curtain while the great trusts make inau-dible demands and when next seen he is astraddle of the fence. All subjects considered it has the coloring of Republicanism and with it not far in the background are the dominating trusts and oney powers.

LIBRARY CONTESTS.

The Gazette has for the past few issues, published an advertisement of the Free Gift Library Association containing the 10 vote coupons, which have been gathered and deposited by friends of the various contending institutions. This is misleading for the coupons of the content of the various of the content of the various of the content tions. This is misleading los, because The Gazette, not appearing among the parties representing this association, is not entitled to a live coupon, and if they should be counted it would invalidate the project. The coupon date the project. The coupon published in the ADVOCATE, and also in pads at the stores of members, furnish corroborative evidence of this statement. The Gazette's attention having been called to these facts, he realizes he has been unintentionally imposed on, and will see that coupons do not appear again, which is nothing short of justice to all concerned.

Mr. Hart, chief engineer of the Ex-speaker Reed has passed into the future after having shown the great powers of the man. He ruled congress at will and in his political career was caused to halt expression was by way of Clay the control of the city Tuesday to the proved, but more ought to be done. The streets will not be improved by Mark Hanna, whom he despised City, and by way of Clay City it is apt to go.

It is an outrage.
Squire Turner.

They say that rock from Coal road can be delivered as cheap as rock being used, and one load of it is worth two of this.

Joe W. Stephens.

Our streets are extremely bad. T. P. Martin.

Please tell them to have a pave ment laid beyond Baumont Hotel, I am wading in mud ankle deep. Miss Agnes.

I will have a boar do not fix the crossings.

Miss Bettie. I will have a boat made if they

They should use better rock.

The Council is doing all it ca n regard to pavements. No conment on streets. C. W. Harris. Better rock and drainage.
R. A Chiles.

I am in favor of good streets. Clay McKee.

Nothing to say. Jno. G. Winn. nents of good quality.

Robt. Walsh.

I favor brick streets, at presen I favor our-they are miserable. Thos. Kennedy.

Thos. Kennedy.

It is a disgrace to have such streets when we are paying the price we are for what we get.

Tipton Young.

I hear that better stone at a cheaper price was offered, but the offer was not accepted.

Chas. Reis.

Lets talk about the streets when they are not so nasty, so bad. I. F. Tabb.

I. F. Tabb.
We can afford to lay brick streets
on Main, Maysville, Court and
Broadway Streets.
T. K. Barnes.

We should devise a plan for

bricking our streets.
C. G. Thompson.

Rock and not mud should be put on the streets. J. C. Graves.

Every business house should have a pavement like that in front of our store.

R. E. Punch.

A MATTER OF PUBLIC INTEREST. I favor the issuing of bonds for brick streets. W. S. Lloyd.

Words of Commendation, Criticism and Suggestion Soncerning
Our Streets.

The streets are outrageous for a first-class town. Asa Dean.
Why do you not go after the Council about the streets? A rock contractor\_said, "the rock which is pave the business section with vitused will crumble in three months when exposed (not used)."

Dr. J. A. Shirley.
It is an outrage.

Ifavor brick streets, anything in preference to what we have.

H. H. Barnes.

The rough surface of our streets and the bad quality of rock used, should not be allowed. C. H. Petry.

Brick streets to expensive for u Brick streets to expensive for us to undertake at present. The only remedy that I suggest would be better stone. The street should be torn up by machinery before applying any more metal. The metal plying any more metal. The metal should be crushed and rolled. It will pay the city to buy machinery to operate it. Have a market for stone open to all who have desirable goods to offer in any quantity
L. T. Chiles.

I favor brick streets in business They are in bad shape, the Council should have good rock, napped.

Joe Lindsay.

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I have never seen the streets in such shape and some means should be devised for obtaining better rock. Some attention should be given to some sidewalks.

H. R. French.

L. S. Sewerage system is adopted. Time sewerage system is adopted. Time sewerage system is adopted. Time

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### Heavy freeze on Sunday night .- LAND, STOCK AND CROP ITEMS.

A Kansas City Trader refused \$170 each for 350 mules which were ready for the Southern market

J. R. Shrout last week bought of Robt. Whaley 100 acres and from Jake Trunbo traded for 64 acres, both near Sharpsburg. Price of Whaley land \$77.50, of Trumbo land \$60. On January 1st Mr. Shrout and family will move to it, Sid. Hart sold to Will Class 18.

Sid Hart sold to Will Clay 18, 000 pounds of tobacco at 7 cents.

Wm. Jones sold to John McClain 20 acres of improved land on Grassy pike for \$2,000.

### Live Stock Market.

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Chicago Cattle Receipts—Good to prime steers, \$5.80 to \$7.25; poor to medium, \$3 to \$5.75; stockers and feeders, \$2 to \$4.75.

Hogs—Regelpts, 45.000 head; to cents lower; mixed butchers, \$5.00 to \$6.35; good to choice heavy, \$6.35 to \$6.65; light shipper, \$5.75 to \$6.10. Bulk of sales at \$6.15 to \$6.25.

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Good to choice wethers \$3.75 to \$4.25; native lambs, \$5.50 to \$5.50
Western, \$3.75 to \$5.00.

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Cattle—Recipits for thelast week have been unusually liberal. Good feeding cattle in demand at strong prices; butcher steers, extra, at \$4.90 to \$5; good, \$4.40 to \$4.75; common, \$3.50 to \$4; theffers, extra \$4.50; good, \$3.60 to \$4; 25; common, \$3.50 to \$8; cows, \$3.50 to \$4; canners, \$1.50 to \$2.50; stock-era and feeders, \$2.50 to \$4.75.

Hogs — Receipts moderate and prices a shade higher. Selected shippers and butchers, \$6.40 to \$6.45; good packers, \$6.20 to \$6.35; good packers, \$6.50 to \$6.50; good

Underwear, Guthrie Clothing Co.

5 kinds Felt Boots Guthrie Clo.Co

### Drawing Bigger Salary.

Jawing bigger sainty.

La Lucha says President Palma is drawing a larger salary than the former Spanish Captain General Wood. According to the budget President Palma received \$25,000 allowance for salary, \$25,000 for secret urgent expenses, \$7,500 for servants and \$8,040 for supplied to furnishing the same serial properties. sundry expenses relating to furni-ture and his stable. The Spanish Captain General received \$41,000 and Gen. Wood \$17,000.

Xmas Gifts, Guthrie Clo. Co. Don't forget to call and see our souvenir cups, saucers and plates. Prices to suit everyone.

CHENAULT & OREAR.

Boy's Outfits, Guthrie Clo. Co Best Clothing, Hats and Shoes t Walsh Bros.

If you want the best biscuit buy the Monitor four from Harry Lin

To buy 200 barrels of corn and 0 good work mules.

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Mt. Sterling Stock Yards Co.

Death.

The jury at Lexington sentenced Earl Whitney to death

Give him a \$10 Suit that will nold its shape. Walsh Bros. sell them.

> We Have Pleased Others, We Will

Please You.

It is a well-known fact that the ma-it is a well-known fact that the ma-life are not dudges of sewerly, so many-people are fooled every sky by the ap-people are fooled every sky by the ap-charged enormous prices for an article charged enormous prices for an article product of the charged of the article to the charged of the charged of the her first want to know that it will were the first want to know that it will were the first want to know that it will were the first want to know that it will were the first want to know that it will were the first want to know that it will were the first want to know that it will be defined to the charged of the charged of the first want to the charged of the charged of the order of the charged of the charged of the first want to the charged of the charged of the first want to the charged of the charged of the first want to the charged of the charged of the first want to the charged of the charged of the first want to the charged of the charged of the first want to the charged of the charged of the charged of the first want to the charged of the charged of the charged of the first want to the charged of the charged of the charged of the first want to the charged of the charged of the charged of the first want to the charged of the charged of the charged of the first want to the charged of the charged of the charged of the first want to the charged of the charged of the charged of the first want to the charged of the charged of the charged of the first want to the charged of the charged of the charged of the first want to the charged of the charged of the charged of the first want to the charged of the charged of the charged of the first want to the charged of the charged of the charged of the first want to the charged of the charged of the charged of the first want to the charged of the charged of the charged of the at Gold and Hight-Grain two-serity, Glocks, Watches, Rings, Novel-s, &c., things too numerous to mentior, s, &c., things too numerous to mentior, catching to make every heart glad at ically Popular Prices, and our Personal dealers of the Company of the Compan

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We have been busy getting in New Goods and haven't had sime to change this ad. for a week or two, but now we are ready to wait on you with NEW GOODS at prices to satisfy. New Nuta, straight or assorted, at 20c per pound; Raisins, Prunes, Peaches and Apricots, all new stock, cheap, and Cake Fillings of any kind. If you want to see if our statements are true, come in. We pay cash for our goods and think we can buy as cheap as anybody, quality considered. We will deliver your goods in town in as clean a package and as nice shape and as quick as any of our competitors, full weights and measures guaranteed. We call especial attention to our CHRISTMAS GOODS, which will be on exhibition in plenty of time for the Holidays.

Space will not permit us to enumerate them. Give us a call. Our store is always open during business hours.

Yours for Trade.

C. T. EVANS.

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## day Goods.

A Ton of Fine Candy

Ice Cream Kisses, Cream-covered Dates, Coconnut Bon Bons, Cream Wafers, Little Buttercups, Pure Cream French Mixed 100 pt. 100

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Tin Ranges, toc: cup and plate.

To and toc.

Pretty Silk-cloth-bound Gift Books. 19, 25, 460

Washable Dolls, all: size. 5, and toc.

Games—just take a look. 4, 4, 10, 156

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Tin Ranges, toc: cup and plate.

To 12, 13, 266

Washable Dolls, all: size.

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Shawing Mugs.

To 15, 15, 266

Washable Dolls, and Balls. 5, 10, 13, 266

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Washable Dolls, and Balls. 5, 10, 13, 266

Washable Dolls, all: size.

To 15, 266

Washable Dolls, all: size.

To 16, 267

Washable Dolls, all: size.

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W. Main Street F. A. TUCKER Mt. Sterling, Ky.

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are becoming more popular each succeeding Already we have a long list of articles laid to be delivered at CHRISTMAS. It is a very to be delivered at CHRISTMAN. It is a wiser plan to buy now and have the goods reserved, because the prettiest articles are naturally pick-ed out first, and at present our stock is full and very complete. Chairs, Tables, Desks, Book Cases Chiffoniers, Sideboards and Rugs are a few of the hints we

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MT. STERLING, KY

## City Grocery and Market.

C. G. GLOVER, .... MANAGER. BAUM STAND, EAST MAIN STREET, MT. STERLING

## PHONE 83. A Few Things We Handle:

New crop N. O. Molasses, Mountain Sorghum,

Rabbits, Quail, Turkey, Ducks and Chicken all dressed.

Fish and Oysters that's fresh Celery, Cranberries, Pickles, Kraut, Catsups,

Canned and Evaporated Fruits.

## Prize Winners.

First Prize of \$5 was won by Mrs. Effic Broughton, who held the lucky number—2928. Second Prize, \$3, No. 1060—Unclaimed. Third Prize, \$2, No. 628—Mrs. James Gibson.

## Moliday Gifts.

### Solid Gold Lockets \$4.00.

REMEMBER.—Every article bought of us is handsomely engraved free of charge.

Red Bead.

Under the auspices of the Woman's Club an interesting illustrated lecture on "the Story of a Red-head" was given at the Court House by Mr. James Speed, of Louisville, on Monday evening. Many beautiful stereoptican views of birds and forestry, true to life, were given. He followed Mr. Woodpecker from his advent into this world through his varied experiences, and told what birdie fought is and said. It was much enjoyed by the audience, young and old.

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### ITALIAN FOOTBALL.

ITALIAN POOTBALL.

Has All the Stratey and Scrapping of Our Own Stremmus Game.

The new game of calcio (football) is taking on in Milan, says the Paris Messenger. Some people compare it with the told Italian game of calcio, but there is a great difference between the two. The Italian game is played in an open space divided in two equal parts, with 25 players on the fenced round spot. On each side there are four groups of players; the innanzi in front and all in a line close to the boundary. After these come the sconciatori, then the datorlin-darri, and then the datorlindietro, who closed the lines. The players on each side wear different colors. This year, when the game was played in Florence, the colors were red and blue.

who closed the lines. The players on who closed the lines. The players on who closed the lines are the players on the players of the wall around the place where the game is played. The innanti throwing a ball against a slab on one blue.

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\*\*Alfred E Buck, United States Minister to Japan, deed on Thursday morning. The Japanese Minister to Japan, deed on Thursday morning. The Japanese Minister to Japan, deed on Thursday morning. The Japanese Minister called at the State Department with a cablegram from the Japanese Minister buck's death. Mr. Buck had been stricken by apoplexy hile attending a duck hunt given the Emperor of Japan.

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\*\*Dress Ties, Guthrie Clothing Co.\*\*

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Characteristics of the Farmer and Peas ant-A Party of Turks.

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NEW NOVELTY STORE.

Ring the bells of Xmas, and don't forget to ring the belles for Xmas.

J. W. Jones has the ring.

Most complete line of Haviland German China in the city.

CREMAULT & OREAR.

We have added some goods to brill added for law to be applied for the separation of the separation of home and make glad both the re-cipient and donor. Prices within the reach of all.

Sharpsburg Hems.

The elocution pupils of Sharpsburg Academy will give an entertainment Friday night, the 12inst. in the lecture room of the Presby of the train church at Sharpsburg.

Mrs. A. B. Ratliff entertained the following young people to a six o'clock dinner hast Friday and was a very elaborate affair: Misses Florence Gordon, Fanis Pricepted Fordon, Fanis Pricepted Florence Hemself and Messrs W. Ellen Botts, Eliza Piper, Ella Ratliff, Ella Moffett and Messrs W. E. Cacraft, Harry McCue and Earnest Piper.

Miss Ella Ratliff entertained a

Miss Ella Ratliff entertained a number of her friends to a house number of her friends to a house party last week. The young ladies present were Misses Fannie Parks and Eliza Piper, of Carlisle; Ellen Botts, of Owingsville; Ella Moffett, of Sharpsburg, Florence Gordon, of Winchester and Messrs Earnest Piper, of Carlisle and Porter Peed, of Sharpsburg. They were elegantly entertained and a hop was given Thursday, night in honor of the visitors.

New Mufflers, Guthrie Clo. Co.

### Card of Thanks.

Words are inadequate to express my gratitude to the friends who for fifty days showed their love and sympathy in ministering to my wife and daughter during their fa-tal sicknes; and in their kindness

Want.

Eggs, butter, dressed chickens, turkeys, geese and ducks. Go to Sam Greenwades. Pat. Kid Shoes, Guthrie Clo. Co.

Hibler & Robinson are opening up an enormous line of choice Christmas goods, cakes, candies, nuts, fine evaporated and dried fruits, fire works; see their com-plete list in next issue.

Walsh Bros. are selling 75 cent shirts and drawers for 48c.

Silk Kerchiefs, Guthrie Clo. Co.

### Should Be Prosecuted.

Snould Be Frosecuted.

Harry Ruit, an employe of a locomotive works at Patterson, N. J., died on Thursday as a result of a practical joke played on him by five of his fellow workmen. It is alleged that "they blew up" Ruit with a pneumatic air pump having a pressure of 110 pounds to the inch. The boy's stomach became inch. The boy's stomach became greatly distended, and after several hours of great suffering he died.

### Queer Law Case.



Not long ago a trial was reported where a man sued a medicine concern which had offered \$100 for a case their remedy could not cure. The man had taken the remedy but had not been cured. The defence was that he had not taken the medicine long enough. He did not get the \$100.

We allude to this because we want to show that Vinol does not give a slippery guarantee. If the user comes back with his empty bottle and say, "It can't see that it did me any good," we say, "Sorry you happen to be among the fewless than two in one hundred—here's your dollar!"

Vinol is a non-secret pleasant compound of cod liver oil, greatest medicinal food known), iron, and mild table wine.

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You'll need Winter Clothing, Hats and Shoes and Furnishings, and prepare now. Our stock is complete and you will find the best-did we say "best?" Yes, by far the Best in Kentucky.

**Smoking Jackets** Morning Gowns Handkerchiefs

**Bath Robes** Neckwear Hosiery, Mufflers

Dress Suits in TUXEDOS, and the regulation cut, for men and boys, and a complete line of Perrin's Gloves for day and evening wear.

ALL THE HOLIDAY NOVELTIES NOW IN

CUTTERS, Fodder Cutters, Shredders, Carriers, Mowers and Horse Powers.

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## CHENAULT & OREAR

MT. STERLING.

NAMES OF FISH.

Curious Inconsistencies in the Use of the Plura! Form.

Curious Inconsistencies in the Use of the Plural Form.

A few days ago I was asked by a foreigner: "Why do you say 'two herrings' and 'two soles' and not 'two cods' and 'two sellsed and the cods' and 'two saluons?" I do not think my answer was very satisfactory, but the question suggested the thought that there are several cases in which it would be difficult to say whether there is anything like a consenua of opinion as to whether a plural form of the name of a fish is admissable. We all speak of soles, herrings, sprats, lampreys and enchovies, the singular form never, I believe, doing service for the plural. Ko one, I think, says maskersle, cods, salmons, trouts, breams, shada, carps, plaices, basees, barbels. Sturgeon, perch, mullet, pike, turbot, tunna and skate have not unusually the plural form in "s."

Fishermen and fishmongers are inclined to avoid the plural form in ome instances where it is employed by the majority of educated people. In some cases there is considerable uncertainty. This I have ascertained by means of a fair number of tests. Among them are carps, shads, tenches. Compilers of English rammars, so far as my experience gees, in treating of plural form of nouns make no note of the names of fish which do not vary in the plural.

—Notes and Querica.

We would have every thoughtful reader to follow the President through in his message to congress.

We give it in full.

### WANTED! WANTED!

Your scrap iron, live geese, old hens, roosters, hides, furs, tallow beeswax, feathers and ginseng, for which I will pay the highest

cash price. 17-20t.

E. T. REIS.

Call on us, we will take pleasure in showing our Holiday goods, whether you buy or not.

OLDHAM HARDWARE Co.

For every paper purchased at the Advocate office the holder will receive coupons entitling him to ten votes. He may therefore purchase ten copies for 50c and be entitled to 100 votes in The Free Gift Library Association which gives away free a \$750 library.

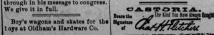
For Women there is nothing equal to THE DELUXE Shoe at Brunner's 19-3t

Everybody knows the Travelers Accident Ins. Co. Well, I repre-sent them here. Rates cheerfully furnished.

### Notice to Claiments.

All persons having claims against the estate of Powell Hall will present them (properly proven) to me by January 1st, 1903, or same will be barred.

C. T. Evans, Commissioner



### NOTICE!

MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SITTINGS

JOHN W. JOHNSON, ETC.

on the 9th day of Decealer, 19th, 4th office in the Tricken National Bank building in Mi. Sterica On the Tricken National Bank building in Mi. Sterica On the Tricken National Bank building in Mi. Sterica On the One of th

## NOTICE!

John W. Johnson

are hereby notified to file the same properly proven to R. J. Kern or the undersigned.

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You can't spend your money and Foley's Honey and Tar cy. It proposes to make gold cures colds, prevents pneumonis on legal tender.

### STREET CLOCKS.

Alternately Raised and Dashed to Ropes of Men Goling to Train.

"Don'ttrustastrect clock if knowledge of the time is of any importance to you," said a benign looking stranger in a New York elevated train to a Herabd reporter, as he glanced at me. "If you do trust them you are more than likely to be deceived, and if you rely on them you are quite certain to be led into annoyance, if not into trouble. They are seldom right und more likely to be slow than fast, for their exposed position makes them liable to be attacked by dust and moisture that clogs their movements. Yet sometimes they are too fast, and you will frequently find that they have stopped to rest.

"I boarded a Sixth avenue elevated train at Rector street recently with just 33 minutes in which to reach a desired train at the Grand Central station—according to my watch. I knew that it was close work and I felt

\*\*Methodological Company.\*\*

\*\*A clock cough or la grippe can be colded, but the fellow with the most brass gets the tin.

\*\*A cold, cough or la grippe can be ware of substitutes.

\*\*Rev. John L. Barth, a native of Louisville, attended for the first time a foot-ball game at St. Louis, and became so excited he died from apoplexy.

\*\*J. W. Bryan, of Lowder, Ill., writes: "My little bow as very low with pneumonia. Unknown to the doctor we gave him Foley's Honey and Tar and all who use it will be contended the doctor, as it immediately stopped the racking cough and he quickly recovered.

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A man's heart is blamed for a lot of things that his head is responsible for.

The Finance and currency Committee of the New York Chamber of Commerce has reported a plant



The man who has to give half his time and half his strength to bailing out his boat will make slow progress. Rowing one car he may be able to steer the boat, but the wind and tide will have him at their mercy.

This is very much like the case of a man who is physically weak and run-down, and only able to give part of his time and strength to work. He cannot expect to get ahead in the world, to make progress or advancement. He has to give half of his time and strength to keeping afloat physically, and that means working only half the time, drawing half wages and nothing laid by for a rainy day. For this man is a double loser—his carnings are cut in half and his expenses are increased by doctors' bills and the cost of medicines. There are a great many such people, both men and women, who are living only half a life, because their physical strength is exhausted and they have as little capacity for enjoyment as they have for work. Life to them is only a license to labor, to live from hand to mouth, to toil in suffering and suffer in toil.

To these people there comes a message from strong hearty men working every day, and that message is, "Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will cure this weakness and feebleness and make a new man of you. I know it, because the tured me. It was weak, run-down, debilitated, able to work only part of the time, and then in pain and misery. I used Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and it cured me and made me a strong healthy man."

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Railroad Valuation in Kentucky.

The fruit brick is the latest form

on the market from California, and from the preceding harvest in all their lives. A showman one brought one to a fair and called it a monster, and the factory hands paid a quarter to see the market.

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Railroad Valuation in Kentucky, as The total valuation of the tangible property of the railroads in for the tangible property of the railroads in formation of preserves. It is rectangular or kentucky, as fixed by the State Railroad Commission, is \$51,944.

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Mormon Church, asserts that no polygamy is practiced under the sanction of the church. No poly-

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Yarmouth, England, corporation has eddered 10,000 pictorial posters to be used in advertising the town.

In Dusseldorf, Germany, fitted dibing, smoking, sitting and sleeping compartments.

## Lexington & Eastern R's

LOCAL TIME TABLE.

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### New Time Table on C. & O.

new time table on the Chesa-peake & Ohio railroad on Sunday went into effect as follows:

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Inconnection with this it is well to note the hours at which mail will be collected from the boxes on of Boxon, to succeed the late Justices hours will be sent out on the next mail train.

6:00 a. m. 3:50 p. m. 11:30 a. m. 6:30 p. m. Sunday, 11:30 a. m.

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### ROYAL ANGLERS.

Mr. Marston that the king on one occasion caught a 21-pound satumon on the Ploros Casile water on the Tweed.

As regards the queen, we have long known that she is a keen disciple of Izask Walton, as is also Princes Victoria, and they often fish together when in Scotland. Her majersty has killed salmon in Ireland, and so deadly is the Alexandra fly, named siterier, that its ase is prohibited on many waters. The prince of Wales is perhaps, the keenest and best angler the royal family has produced, and will is spend long days on Deeside enjoying the sport. Then the Princes Louise, duches of Argyll, and the duchess of Fife are devoted to angling. When in Canada Princess Louise had grand sport with the salmon. The duchess of Fife are devoted to angling. When in Canada Princess Louise had grand sport with the salmon. The duchess of the flat by the spends much of her time with lore children in the enjoyment of her fact by the control of the prince device and Prince Albert, aged size of the sport while the duck is decreased in the control of the prince of Wales, and Prince Edward and Prince Albert (aged size of the sport of the sport while the duck is decreased in the case of the sport while the duck is decreased in the case of the sport of

consumption is a human weed flourishing best in weak lungs. Like other weeds it's easily destroyed while young; when old, sometimes impossible.

The time to treat consumption is when you begin trying to hide it from yourself. Others see it, you won't. Don't wait until you can't deceive yourself any longer. Begin with the first thought to take Scott's Emulsion. Sall was sometime to hive the texternent. If it is consumption is when you begin trying to hide it from yourself. Others see it, you won't. Don't wait until you can't deceive yourself any longer. Begin with the first thought to take Scott's Emulsion. If it isn't really consumption so forget it and be better for the treatment. If it is consumption you can't expect to be cured at once, but if you will begin in time and will begin and who have were as in regard to Waterman between the you will begin in time and will begin and who have the work when the locality. Now the finding of Lee's body clears the development of the french was been given decent burial on the corboid lake. According to Lee's story at the time and will be water of the sail of the constitution of the work of the water and the sail of the sail of the work of the water and that the best treatment.

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Cure. Frank J Cheney.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

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It is a beautiful spirit to keep fresh the memory of one departed. The Elks memorial service was held at the Opera House Sanday afternoon and a large auditence was present as evidence of the cesteem in which the departed brother, which the speaker.

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Every piece of Rochester Silver, and the speaker.

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and chilly evenings.

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### PERSONAL.€

Mrs. B. F. Cockrell was in Cin cinnati on Saturday.

Mrs. Maggie McNamara has reurned from Covington.

Mrs. John Punch and son, Frankfort, are in the city.

Daniel M. Ryan, of Portsmouth O., spent Sunday in town.

B. F. Herriort and wife visited in Georgetown last week. Mrs. B. F. Cockrell was in Win

clester last week visiting relatives. Mr. Fred Johnson, of Ashland, spent Sunday with I. N. Phipps.

Mrs. L. H. Prewitt left on Mon-day for Pomona Cal., to spend the

Mrs. C. D. Grubbs left on Mon day to visit Miss Simrall, of Cov

Mrs. Eliza Portman, of Stanford is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. R. Bright.

Miss Nellie Sutton has been com elled to return from school on ac ount of her helth.

Landman, the Oculist, will at the Baumont hotel Thursday,

City, and Mrs. Charlie Groves, of Torrent, are guests of Miss Anna

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Mr. A. W. Sutton expects to sell his entire possessions and go to Seattle, Washington, hoping that the health of his family will be thready, aged seventy-six.

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WERR-YOUNG

Mrs. Nancie Oliver, of Wolfe county, is vasting her son, J. M.

Oliver and lamily.

Steve French, of Atlanta, Ga., is pending a few weeks with his brother, H. B. French.

Miss Carrie Metealfe, who has been visiting the family of L. T.

Chiles, leaves tomorrow.

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### DEATHS.€

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the health of his family will be greatly improved.

The many friends of Dr. B. F.
Thompson will be glad to learn he has returned from Lexington, having recovered from a ground from a ground from a month's visit with the family of Rev. E. O. Guerrant at Will.

Mr. C. H. Donnohue and family will leave for Guthrie, Oklahoma, on the 16th. We regret to lose them, our most prominent people and commend them to the good people of their adopted home. Mr. Donnohue will engage in farming and buying stock.

We carry the most complete line and lovely, ever ready and anxious We carry the most complete line fubber goods in town.

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REISINSER-Mrs. Kate Reisinsen He Baumont hotel Thursday, aber 11th.

At the County Clerk's office in this city on Friday afternoon, Dec. re, spent a few days here this clifton Webb, of Winchester, was married to Mass Maggle B. Young a far-idence in this city, on Tuesday at 10 married to Miss Maggle B. Young a far-idence in this city, on Tuesday at 10 daughter of Bruce Young, a far-idence in this city, on Tuesday at 10 daughter of Bruce Young, a far-idence in this city, on Tuesday at 10 daughter of Bruce Young, a far-idence in this city, on Tuesday at 10 daughter of Bruce Young, a far-idence in this city, on Tuesday at 10 daughter of Bruce Young, a far-idence in this city, on Tuesday at 10 daughter of the country.

Miss Carrie Metesiie, who been visiting the family of L. T.
Chiles, leaves tomorrow.

Miss Mamie King was in Lexington last week visiting the family of her brother, William.

Miss Kathryn M. Ryan, of Indinapolis, who has been with married to Miss Emma Wooley, after a sickness of about three by the risk of Ezel, Ky. The ceremony was by Rev. Harlan Murphy, at the Misses Walsh has returned home.

Misses Belle and Minnie Ledridg, of Frankfort, are visiting their sister, Mrs. M. R. Hainline.

Mr. C. C. Coleman and wife, of Caymore, W. Va., are here visiting Mrs. Coleman's mother, Mrs. Kate Probert.

Mrs. Jennie Russell, of Clay for ladies.

Mrs. Charlie Groves, of City, and Mrs. Cha HENRY—Daniel Henry died at hots, pecans, corp., cotto his country bome at Henry's Mill on Monday morning, Dec. 8, 1902, after a sickness of about three hours with paralysis of the heart. He leaves a wife and nine child-

Games of all kinds, Ping-pong sets, Archarena, Crokinole, etc., for the children, at Kennedy's Drug STORE. 21-tf

The Baptist Sunday School will have a Christmas tree.

All kinds of Millinery at cut-intwo prices at
21-3t T. P. Martin's &Co.

Walsh Bros. sell the best Clothing in the town.

## Library Contest.



Best Clothing at Walsh Bros.

## PRELIGIOUS.€

Rev. Fisher, of Millersburg, preached at the Methodist church twice on Sunday. There was no preaching at the Christian and 1st Presbyterian

churches on Sunday evening W. J. Bolin will preach at How ards Mill next Sunday afternoon

Rev. W. J. Bolin will be in his pulpit in the Baptist Church next Sunday morning and evening. "A Vision of Jesus" will be the morn-ing subject. For the evening, "A Castaway Redeemed." The public cordially invited to attend.

If you will leave it to us you never spend a dollar for Bad Clothing, Walsh Bros.

Mann—On Tuesday, December In the east show window of the Guthrie Clothing Co. are some of Four sons and two daughters.

Revs. E. G. B. and L. E. Mann are bis secone. In the east show window of the sugar cane, apples, Irish potatoes sweet potatoes, wheat, oats, per nuts, pecans, corn, cotton, turnip

Drop-head Singer, used only one month, \$20.
Standard, \$10; New Home, \$10; Three-drawer Singer, \$12; Low Arm Singer, \$3.
Getyour old machine repaired. SINGER STORE

Mt. Sterling, Ky. Bargain.

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We are closing out all trimmed goods and hats of all descriptions at cost and some below cost.

21-2t Mrs. K. O. Clark.

Fresh Candies at Greenwade's.

## Holiday Goods.

KENNEDY'S DRUG STORE.

Felt Boots, Guthrie Clothing Co

Do not fail to look over the beautiful assortment of china at Oldham Hardware Co's. No troubble to show goods.

Fire Works, the best and cheap est at Harry Linthecum's. Proper Prices, Guthrie Clo. Co.

Toys, Toys, at 21-3t T. P. Martin's & Co.

Best Made, Guthrie Clo. Co. W. L. Douglas Shoes at Walsh

Nicest line of fine candies and choice fruits at Sam Greenwade's.



# Hatters, all Clothiers, 5 Mufflers. rs, ailor look. ackets, Bath Presents. Smoking of full stock of profit. Als very B prepared made at

The Sammer Too Coatinues.

The Sammer Too Goods House, one of the widest known for handing best goods will be from now until Jan. 1st, 1993, a place for bargain seekers. Their desirable dressy goods in season are on the bargain counters and are going for cost, not one cent of profit to the owners. The stock is complete with full lines and every article at a bargain, they were nurchased for

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to make this Siaughter Saie. The wraps, dress goods, linen goods, edgings, notions and everything goes, rather than some old wares for another season. In one half column advertisement on another page is their advertisement.

The Summer Too Continues.

## Holiday Novelties

is larger than ever. Pictures, Bric-a-Brac, Vases, Comb and Brush Sets, Pocket Books, Fancy Pipes, Cigar Cases, Games, etc.—all prices. Call and look whether you wish to

KENNEDY'S DRUG STORE.

Best Boot, Guthrie Clothing Co. Linen Books all prices all sizes all kinds, best value for your money, at Kennedy's Drug Store. 21-tf

Buy the Miller Range for your wife, Christmas. There is nothing better. OLDHAM HARDWARE Co.

Great bargains now, in Millinery, Notions, etc., at 21-3t T. P. Martin's & Co.

Fine Monogram Work at J. W. Jones' Jewelry Store.

You can find the nicest Xmas present for the least money, at
THE NOVELTY STORE.

Fine Overcoats, Guthrie Clo. Co. Be sure you call and see our line

before making your purchases.
Will be glad to show you.
CHENAULT & OREAR.

Come.

We are closing out all trimmed goods and hats of all descriptions at and below cost.

21-2t Mrs. K. O. Clark.

### Industries At Salt Lick.

W. J. Fell will soon erect at Salt Lick a factory for bent wood ar-ticles. He has leased six acres of ticles. He has le land for the plant.

The Standard Oil Co. will establish a boiler and machine plant here to be near the oil field at Ragland.

## CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Booght mature Chart H. Fletchirk

The coming winter promises t be the hardest ever experienced by the English laboring classes. A ready more than half a millid workmen are out of employment.

Suit Cases, Guthrie Clothing Co

Pedestrians in crossing our streets should stand back from 8 to 15 feet when a buggy is passing unless they want to be spattered,

We are headquarters for holiday goods, THE NOVELTY STORE. goods, THE NOVELL.

For a fancy Chop Plate, don't

CHENAULT & OREAR.

The government office at No. 1 ock and dam on Big Sandy, near Catlettsburg, was burned December 2. Maps, charts, etc., were

Dolls, all prices, Dressed and Undressed, at
THE NOVELTY STORE.

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Call on Oldham Hardware Co.

The rock used is a money sinker out make poor streets.

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Buy your Christmas candies and nuts and ingredients for black cake from Sam Greenwade.



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# Given Away Free! BOOKS WORTH \$750.

## A Handsome Library of 200 Volume

The fine collection of Books, consisting of the works of the b The ne collection of Books, consisting of the works of the best authors, covering every field of literature, and the popular novels of the day. All finished in attractive, substantial bindings and worthy the consideration and pride of the most exacting lower of Good Books.

These beautiful Books will be exhibited in the window of The Guthrie Clothing Company.

The Names of the Books will appear in this space.

This Library will be given on March 10, 1903 to the Church, School other organization receiving the largest number of votes

### 5 Cent Cash Purchase

you are entitled to ONE VOTE, also with every FIVE CENT pay ment on account to any of the merchants named below entitles you to ONE VOTE.

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At the time of your purchase the merchant will hand you a ballot on which you will write the name of the Institute or organization for which you want to vote and deposit in the Ballot Box in the store. No ballots given except at time of purchase. Make your own choice. Public High School, Eversley's School, Colored School, Public Library, County Teachers' Library, Odd Fellows, Red Men, B. P. O. E., A. O. U. W., Masons or Maccabees of Mt. Sterling, Owingaville or Sharpsburg. Mrs. Talbott's School, Sharpsburg, Bourbon C. & B. College, North Middletown, or any Church or other organization you would wish to own this great Library.

A prize of \$10.00 in gold will be given the lady living outside of Mt. Sterling bringing to The Guthrie Clothing Co. on March 10, 1903, the greatest number of Ballot Coupons with her name signed by the merchant from whom purchase was made. These Coupons must represent purchases made by her own family.

To the child living in Mt. Sterling bringing in the largest number of Ballot Coupons on above conditions will be given \$5.00 in gold. The vote will be announced every week in the Advocars. The Advocars will each issue publish a Coupon which entitles the holder to 10 vôtes when properly filled out and delivered to their office Ballots for this contest can be had only at he stores of O. Laughlin & Son, Sadders and Joldham Bros., Dry Goods, Shoes,

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## Free Gift Library Association.

This Coupon entitles the holder to ten votes, that can be cast for any institution competing for the beautiful Library when properly filled out, signed and delivered or mailed to this office.

Name of Institution.

ABOUT THE NEW STAR.

Some Starting Changes Defected in the Constitution Perseas.

A little over a year ago the most remarkable "new or temporary star" of modern times appeared in the constellation Perseus, any a writer for the Providence Journal. The star was not m shy catalogue, and two days before its discovery it was not bright enough to be shown on a phenomena of the providence of the resease of the starting the contraction of the providence of the resease of the resease of the starting that the providence of the resease of the

During its decrease in brightness it changed color from white to dull red, and is now somewhat greenish in tint. The spectrum was at first continuous, such as is given by the light from a glowing solid or liquid body or from a gas under pressure; then bright bands were formed, which later assumed the form and position of the bands in the spectra of nebulater assumed the form and position of the bands in the spectra of nebulater assumed the form and position of the bands in the spectra of nebulater assumed the form and position of the bands in the spectra of nebulater assumed the form and the start should be changed that the start once more the chief object of interest in the sky. The nebulate which surrounds the star, or into which the star has been changed, has been successfully photographed at several observatories which are equipped with telescopes of great power, and it contains several centers of condensation whose positions are shifting so rapidly that their motion can be detected in photographs taken but several days apart. Careful attempts to determine the parallax of the star show that it is inappreciable; the star, therefore, is at a very great distance from the earth. There seems to be no doubt that the actual motion in the nebulae is greater than anything heretofore detected. The velocity must be as great as that with which light travels, and the nature of such a motion is as mysterious as that of light itself.

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Already the theories which attempt to account for the birth and life history of the various bodies in the universe are being remodeled to include these newly discovered facts, and the new theories will probably suffer later rejection when more facts are found which conflict with them. The mysteries of the universe become more unfathomable the deeper we are permitted to explore them, and as knowledge increases the extent of that which still remains to be explained increases also.

### THE CONDUCTOR'S TROUBLES

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Elaborate Contracts on Railway Tickets

Keep Him Goussing.

The occasional traveler is inclined
to regard the railway conductor with
a respect not fur from awe, but it is
a fact, says the New York Post, that
he conductor his troubles of his wm.
Not the least of these is the multiplicity of ticket forms. One of the
passenger agents of a road entering
chicago exhibited the other day a
ticket which included about all of the
vices of its kind. The ticket was
saued by an eastern road for a comparatively short trip, but it was neariy sin feet long. To be exact, it was
just fave feet eight inches by actual
measurement. There were but two
coupons, the rest of the long roll being devoted to printed conditions,
which were many and minute. The
ticket agent was asked what a conductor could do if a number of such
ticket were presented to him on a
single trip. To read them through
would take more than the time alloitted to his run. The agent admitted
that probably the conductor would
have to punch the tickets with an air
of knowing all about them and pass
the holders on to the next conductor.

Conjugal Quarrels.

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By avoiding their first quarrel a married couple will never have a sec-ond.—Chicago Daily News.

Gov. Beckham has declined to call an extra session of the Legis-lature to deal with the warehouse situation in Louisville. The Gov-ernor has suggested to representa-tives of the Home Warehouse Com-pany that they take legal steps against the legal combine.

900 DROPS

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The Kind You Have **Always Bought** Bears the Signature Aperfect Remedy for Constipa-tion, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoed Worms, Convulsions, Feverish-ness and LOSS OF SLEEP Fac Simile Signature of Cart Fluttier, NEW YORK. Thirty Years 35 Doses - 35 CENTS

will shortly place the enormous amount of 23,000,000 acres of land

While the average number of persons to a house is eight in London, it is thirty-four in Paris and fifty-four in Berlin.

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Dr. DeHAVEN.

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### For Sale or Exchange.

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I'm going to farming. I will exchange my home place (Peters home) of 40 acres, with tobacco barn 60x90, stock barn of 4 stalls, corn crib, buggy house, meat house, wash house, and all other necessary outbuildings, my brick dwelling of 5 rooms, veranda, porches, etc., and half extending from front to rear that is never too warm in summer and never too cold in winter. This place has to be seen to be appreciated. In many portions of the house the walls are 4 feet thick. Come and see. Looking will convince you.

vince you.

Any information desired will be cheerfully given. You will apply to R. A. Mitchell at his office or to myself in person at my home.

18-tf Steother D. Mitchell.

## Poultry Yards

We buy Eggs, Chickens, Ducks, Geese, Turkeys, Fea-thers, Sheep Pelts, Hides, Tallow, Bluegrass Seed. etc.

We Pay CASH All the Mar Will Allow.

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All kinds of feed.

Parts of South West.
On the first and third Tuesdays in November and December, 1902, and January, February, March and April, 1903, the Missouri Pacific Railway will have on sale special one-way settlers tickets to points in Arkansas, Texas, Louisiana, Southwest Missouri, Oklahoma and Indian Territory. Write for rates and maps.
A. A. GALLAGUER, D. P. A. Mo, Pa. Ry, 419 Walnut St., Cincinnati, O.

Just going to Cincinnati, Louis-ville, New York or some other place, for a few days. Well you might not get hurt, but remember an ac-cident ticket only costs 25c a day pays \$12.50 a week if you are in-jured.

H. G. Hoffman, Agt.,
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### **ROOSEVELT TO CONGRESS**

His Annual Communication Upon Questions of Importance to the Nation.

### **VIEWS ON THE TRUSTS AND TARIFF**

A Lowering of Import Duties Would Not Remedy the Evils of Monopoly—Believes in a Tariff Com-mission—Much That Is Good in Labor Unions and Corporations—Many Needs of the Nation.

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Crystal Crepe Paper, all cols, 10c Tree Ornaments, all kinds. Pin Cushions for fancy work. Mirrows, 5c to \$1.75.
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China Rolling Pins, 25e.
Beautiful Glass Assortment.
China Milk Pitchers 20e to 35e.
Large Bowls and Pitchers, \$1.00.
First grade of Granite.
The Best Tinware.
All sizes of Lamps, 10e to 98e.
Red Globe Hall Lamps.
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Passe Partout Binding, gilt, oal and all colors.

Stove Pipe. Turkey Roasters. Cake Molds. Square Cake Pans, 1 and 2 in. deep Tin and Granite Tea Kettles. Dish Pans, 18c to 60c.

Milk Cans, 1, 2 and 4 pints. Granite Buckets, 1, 3 and 4 qts. Wood Bowls, 5c, 10c, 15c. Rockingham Tea Pots, 20c, 25c, 30c Silver Knives, warranted two years, per set 50c.
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elephone connection with Weson office at Preston. eyance for trunks will meet drun at Mt. Sterling if desired. HIS PECULIAR STATUS.

A Freechman Who Was Legally Deal Though Otherwise Much Alivs.

"I am dead. I ought not to have offered myself as a witness but I had forgotten for the moment that I was dead." Such, according to a Paris correspondence of the London Telegraph, was the extraordinary speech uttered by an individual of substantial proportions, and evidently in the enjoyment of the best of health. There was a row between a couple of cabmen, and several bystanders, including the alleged dead person, who volunteered their services as witnesses. When, however, the policeman put to him the usual questions about his trade, etc., he was treated to this marvelend, with the utmost gravity, that this was really his legal status; indeed, he promptly produced a document setting forth that he had breathed his last in a hospital in South America in the month of January. "It is quite en regle, so I am dead. But I am on my way to have rectified, as you perceive, that, although legally dead, I am alive all the same," he added, and then he explained that some time ago he had been aptropriated by one of his assailants, who had taken his name. This was the man who had expired at the hospital at Buenos Ayres, and, having ascertained the facts, and obtained a copy of the certificate of death, the speaker was proceeding to one of the suburs where he had been born, to have the matter set to rights. His story so interested the cabmen that they became reconciled on the spot, and now he is alive, legally, as well as in the flesh, his little excursion in Boulogne-suc-Seine having lad the desired result.

HISTORIC RELICS.

Chamber Set of British Commander at Lexington.

In New Haven, in a small room in more of its oldest houses is a collection of historical rollers not generalized hunch, even to bissories, to discoverience, says the Boston Herator of the complete of the complete chamber, set they belonged to Lord Perry, who commanded the British troops at Lexington, April 19, 1775, and which he used before leading his men out from Boston. The furniture, of great intrinsical values loss, includes one of the finest highbors of the revolutionary period, a four-post bestead of the oldest model, two chairs that are probably among the oldest chairs in this country, and a gilt-framed looking glass of Martha Washington.

The highbor is a rare example of

HISTORIC RELICS.

looking glass of Martha Washington. The highboy is a rare example of its kind, and was brought over from England in 1770. It is made of mahogany, with brass handles, and top and bottom. The great four-post bedatead, made of black oad, is nine feet high, and its pink and white silk tupestries that cover the canopy and form the drapery for the back are rare in collections.

Horace Day, the owner of these valuable relies, is a well-known antiquary of New Haven, and one of the oldest living graduates of Yale university. The Lord Percy furniture descended to him from a long line of New England ancestors. During the war of the revolution the furniture was sent out from Boatch to the house of a friend of the original owner, who presented it to Mr. Day's family. The mirror came to Mr. Day in an unusual way. A few years ago he received a letter from a clergyman in Salem, Mass., who said that Lord Percy's mirror had been given him by a friend, and he wished to send it to join the rest of the furniture.

Will Blossom the Year Round.

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A horticulturist mentions a plant of the primrose family, Primula obconica, as the only one that can be had in flower all the year round. A large pot of this plant has flowered continuously for five years. The flowers are abundant, and were originally improved not only in size but in variety of color, white and many shades of lilac and pink to deep rose being now obtainable. The out flowers are pleasing for house decoration, while now obtainable. The cut flowers are pleasing for house decoration, while keeping fresh a long time in water. The plant thrives out of doors in summer, but requires hot-house protection in winter. The one objection-able quality is that both flowers and leaves poison the skin of some indi-

WELL! What a Slaughter!

Clothing Galore! Tons of It.

But MONEY is one thing and CLOTHING another. We want the one, and have plenty of the other, so we are going to make an exchange before we move, as we must give up our house by January 1, 1903. Therefore

### WE CUT, SLASH and SLAUGHTER

Our Entire tock of Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing with a ferocity that will appal competition, and make it an object for buyers to invest Every Dollar they can spare in Clothing.

## First Pick is Always the Best!

This is not a sale of old-style goods, but a sale of SEA-SONABLE AND DESIRABLE GOODS, and will last as long as the Goods will last. Everything Marked in Plain Figures. Be sure and secure your share of the bargains.

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How He Got Eit of a Surplus Stock at Regular Prica.

A short time ago a certain firm decided to advertise a big bargain sale, to get rid of a surplus of cotton fabrics. Consequently the goods were advertised at less than half. Then the manager, mussing a hundred yards of one ciass, placed it in the show window. It was twelve-cent goods and was reduced to five. The store was crowded that day by people dealing to purchase cotton fabrics at a bargain. On the shelves were large pieces of the fabrics which had not been marked down, but were of the same quality as that in the window. The customers bought so heavily of these goods on the shelf at the regular price that before night it was necessary to take some of the mussed goods and reroll them in order to surply the demand. One shopper was heard to tell her companion that if the goods in the window which looked cheep, were a bargain at five cents were bigger bargains.—N. Y. Post.

An Ancient Pes.

At a show organized in London by the Sweet Pea society a plant was in bloom which had been raised from a pea found in the hand of an Egyptian mammy.

Manufacturers of all Kinds.

Have you ever had Employers Liability Insurance explained to you? If not then you should nonce. I would be pleased to call and explain and quote rates to any

one interested.

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